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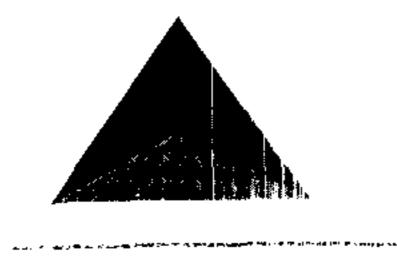
Year Ended June 30, 2000

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The Board of Directors Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc. Lafayette, Louisiana

We have audited the accompanying general-purpose financial statements of the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc., as of and for the year ended June 30, 2000, as listed in the table of contents. These general-purpose financial statements are the responsibility of the Council's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these general-purpose financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133, "Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations." Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the general-purpose financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall general-purpose financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the general-purpose financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc. as of June 30, 2000, and the results of its operations and cash flows of its proprietary fund type for the year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

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In accordance with <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, we have also issued a report dated September 15, 2000, on our consideration of the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants.

Our audit was performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the general-purpose financial statements of the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc. taken as a whole. The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards as required by U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, "Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations," and the supplemental information listed in the table of contents is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the general-purpose financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the general-purpose financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the general-purpose financial statements taken as a whole.

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A Corporation of Certified Public Accountants

Lafayette, Louisiana September 15, 2000

GENERAL-PURPOSE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (COMBINED STATEMENTS - OVERVIEW)

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Combined Balance Sheet - All Fund Types And Account Groups June 30, 2000

		nmental Types	Proprietary Fund Type		Groups	
	General	Special Revenue	Enterprise	General Fixed Assets	General Long-Term Debt	Total (Memorandum Only)
ASSETS				· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
Cash	\$ 21,466	\$ 88,127	\$ 227,159	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 336,752
Cash-restricted deposits	•	-	26,329	-	-	26,329
Prepaid expenditures	935	1,296	-	-	-	2,231
Due from other funds	50,544	59,432	-	-	-	109,976
Deposits	13,544			-	-	13,544
Accounts receivable	35,947	38,316	1,049	-	-	75,312
Fixed assets	-	-	3,772,808	874,121	-	4,646,929
Amount to be provided for retirement of general					AC 051	20.071
long-term debt		—		A 074 101	<u>28,371</u>	<u>28,371</u>
Total assets	<u>\$ 122.436</u>	<u>\$ 187.171</u>	<u>\$.4.027.345</u>	<u>\$ 874.121</u>	<u>\$ 28,371</u>	<u>\$ 5.239.444</u>
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY						
Liabilities:	\$ 4,285	\$ 9,247	\$ 10,225	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 23,757
Accounts payable Tenant's deposits - payable	Ψ 4,200	Ψ ,2.,	4	·		
from restricted cash	_	-	20,811	-	-	20,811
Deferred revenue	-	839	-	-	•	839
Accrued payroll and						
related benefits payable	7,176	-			-	7,176
Due to other funds	59,432	39,157	11,387	-	-	109,976
Long-term debt -	ŕ					
Accumulated unpaid						
vacation	-	-	**	-	18,989	18,989
Note payable			-		9,382	9,382
Total liabilities	70,893	49,243	42,423		<u>28,371</u>	190,930
Fund equity:			2 772 000			3,773,000
Contributed capital			<u>3,773,000</u>	974 191		874.121
Investment in fixed assets			011 000	_874,121	<u></u>	
Retained earnings-unreserved			211,922			211,922
Fund balances:	(11,850) 137,928	_	_	_	126,078
Unreserved, undesignated	5,158	,	_	_	-	5,158
Unreserved, designated	58,235		_	_		58,235
Reserved Total fund balances	51.543					189,471
Total fund equity	51,543		3,984,922	874,121		5,048,514
Total liabilities and				_ •		
fund equity	\$ 122,436	<u>\$ 187,171</u>	<u>\$ 4,027,345</u>	<u>\$ 874.121</u>	<u>\$ 28.371</u>	<u>\$_5.239.444</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

Combined Statement Of Revenues, Expenditures, And Changes In Fund Balances - All Governmental Fund Types Year Ended June 30, 2000

	General	Special Revenue	Total (Memorandum Only)
Revenues:			
Intergovernmental	\$ 33,024	\$ 1,273,587	\$ 1,306,611
Program	-	74,558	74,558
Local and miscellaneous	193,690	281,800	475,490
In-kind		135,005	135,005
Total revenues	226,714	1,764,950	1,991,664
Expenditures:			
Current -			
Salaries	32,913	1,038,499	1,071,412
Fringe	4,554	107,552	112,106
Travel	995	55,171	56,166
Operating services	60,024	131,267	191,291
Operating supplies	2,234	44,380	46,614
Other costs	41,691	246,120	287,811
Capital outlay	3,594	6,954	10,548
Debt Service -			
Principal	6,236	-	6,236
Interest	1,370	-	1,370
In-kind		135,005	135,005
Total expenditures	<u>153,611</u>	1,764,948	1,918,559
Excess (deficiency) of revenues			
over expenditures	73,103	2	<u>73,105</u>
Other financing sources (uses):			
Operating transfers in	11,010	265,644	276,654
Operating transfers out	(85,760)	(190,894)	(276,654)
Total other financing sources (uses)	(74,750)	<u>74,750</u>	
Excess (deficiency) of revenues and other sources over expenditures and other uses	(1,647)	74,752	73,105
Fund balances, beginning of year	53,190	63,176	116,366
Fund balances, end of year	<u>\$ 51,543</u>	\$ 137,928	<u>\$ 189,471</u>

Combined Statement Of Revenues, Expenditures And Changes In Fund Balances - Budget (GAAP Basis) And Actual - All Governmental Fund Types Year Ended June 30, 2000

		General Fund	İ	Sp	ecial Revenue Fi	ınds
	Budgeted	Actual	Variance - Favorable (Unfavorable)	Budgeted	Actual	Variance - Favorable (Unfavorable)
Revenues:			· 			
Intergovernmental	\$ 33,024	\$ 33,024	\$ -	\$ 1,189,596	\$ 1,273,587	\$ 83,991
Program	-	· -	_	66,000	74,558	8,558
Local and miscellaneous	149,455	193,690	44,235	223,497	281,800	58,303
In-kind	, -		_	65,188	135,005	69,817
Total revenues	182,479	226,714	44,235	1,544,281	1,764,950	220,669
Expenditures:						
Current -						
Salaries	33,561	32,913	648	1,023,757	1,038,499	(14,742)
Fringe	4,471	4,554	(83)	113,737	107,552	6,185
Travel	1,220	995	225	57,396	55,171	2,225
Operating services	40,207	60,024	(19,817)	120,446	131,267	(10,821)
Operating supplies	1,428	2,234	(806)	37,293	44,380	(7,087)
Other costs	73,035	41,691	31,344	240,699	246,120	(5,421)
Capital outlay	3,875	3,594	281	6,025	6,954	(929)
Debt Service -	0,0,0	0,00	_01	0,020	0,75.	(>2>)
Principal	-	6,236	(6,236)	_		-
Interest		1,370	(1,370)	_	_	_
In-kind	_	1,570	(2,570)	65,188	135,005	(69,817)
Total expenditures	157,797	153,611	4,186	1,664,541	1,764,948	(100,407)
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over						
expenditures	24,682	73,103	48,421	(120,260)	2	120,262
Other financing sources (uses):						
Operating transfer in	11,010	11,010	-	265,644	265,644	-
Operating transfer out	(85,760)	(85,760)	-	(190,894)	(190,894)	-
Total other financing sources (uses)	(74,750)	(74,750)		<u>74,750</u>	<u>74,750</u>	
Excess (deficiency) of revenues and other sources over expenditures and						
other uses	(50,068)	(1,647)	48,421	(45,510)	74,752	120,262
Fund balances, beginning of year	<u>53,190</u>	53,190	<u>-</u>	<u>63,176</u>	63,176	
Fund balances, end of year	\$ 3,122	<u>\$ 51,543</u>	\$ 48,421	<u>\$ 17,666</u>	\$ 137,928	\$ 120,262

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

Statement Of Revenues, Expenses And Changes In Retained Earnings - Proprietary Fund Type – (Woodvale Place Apartments) Year Ended June 30, 2000

Operating revenues:	Φ.	(00 501
Rental income	\$	629,521
Interest income		702
Other income		4,773
Total operating revenue		<u>634,996</u>
Operating expenses:		10 710
Rental		12,743
Administrative		153,058
Depreciation		131,908
Operating		39,461
Maintenance		192,122
Taxes and insurance		35,721
Capital improvements	·	<u> 18,606</u>
Total operating expenses		<u>583,619</u>
Net income		51,377
Add depreciation on contributed assets	<u></u>	128,000
Increase in retained earnings		179,377
Retained earnings, beginning		32,545
Retained earnings, ending	<u>\$</u>	211.922

Statement of Cash Flows
Proprietary Fund Type
(Woodvale Place Apartments)
Year Ended June 30, 2000

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:	
Operating income	\$51,377
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by	
operating activities:	
Depreciation	131,908
Changes in assets and liabilities:	
Decrease in accounts receivable	27,144
Increase in accounts payable	10,225
Decrease in tenants' deposits	1,459
Increase in due-to-other funds	11,387
Total adjustments	182,123
Net cash provided by operating activities	233,500
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND CAPITAL RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES:	
Acquisition of fixed assets	(54,716)
requisition of fixed assets	
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	178,784
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, beginning	74,704
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, ending	<u>\$ 253.488</u>

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Financial Reporting Entity

Act 456 of 1964 authorized the charter of voluntary councils on aging for the welfare of the aging people in their respective parishes. Charters are issued by the Louisiana Secretary of State upon approval by the Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs. Each council is a non-profit, quasi-public corporation which must comply with policies and regulations established by the Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs, the state agency which provides the council with most of its revenue. The council also receives revenue from other federal, state, and local government agencies that may impose some additional requirements.

The primary function of the Council on Aging, Inc. (Council) is to improve the quality of life for the parish's elderly and to provide services to the elderly as well as coordinate and monitor the services of other local agencies serving the aging people of the parish. Some of the services provided by the Council include congregate and home-delivered meals, nutritional education, information and assistance, legal assistance, homemaker services, discount services, material aid, outreach, operating senior centers, and transportation. A Board of Directors, consisting of 14 voluntary members who serve three-year terms, governs the Council.

The Council is not a component unit of another primary government nor does it have any component units that are related to it. Therefore, the Council has presented its financial statements as a separate special-purpose government.

This report includes all funds and account groups that are controlled by or dependent on the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc. Control by or dependence on the Council was determined on the basis of budget adoption, appointment of governing body, and other general oversight responsibility.

Presentation of Statements

In April 1984, the Financial Accounting Foundation established the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) to promulgate generally accepted accounting principles and reporting standards with respect to activities and transactions of state and local governmental entities. In November of 1984, the GASB issued a codification of Governmental Accounting and Financial Reporting Standards. This codification and subsequent GASB pronouncements are recognized as generally accepted accounting principles for state and local governments.

The accompanying financial statements conform to generally accept accounting principles for state and local governments. These statements have also incorporated any applicable requirements set forth by <u>Audits of State and Local Governmental Units</u>, the industry audit guide issued by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants; Subsection VI - Annual Financial Reporting, accounting manual for Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs contractors; and the <u>Louisiana Governmental Audit Guide</u>.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE I SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Fund Accounting

The Council uses funds and account groups to report its financial position and the results of its operations. Fund accounting is designed to demonstrate legal compliance and to aid financial management by segregating transactions relating to certain functions or activities.

The accounts of the Council are organized on the basis of funds and account groups, each of which is considered a separate accounting entity. The operations of each fund are accounted for with a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, liabilities, equity, revenues and expenditures. Resources are allocated to and accounted for in individual funds based upon the purpose for which they are to be spent and the means by which spending activities are controlled. The various funds are grouped, in the financial statements in this report, into three generic fund types and two broad fund categories.

Governmental Fund Types

Governmental funds are used to account for all or most of the Council's general activities, including the collection and disbursement of specific or legally restricted monies, the acquisition of fixed assets, and the servicing of general long-term debt.

The governmental funds and the programs comprising them as presented in the financial statements are described as follows:

General Fund

The General Fund is the general operating fund of the Council. It is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund. These discretionary funds are accounted for and reported according to the source (federal, state or local) from which they are derived. In addition, the servicing of general long-term debt is accounted for in the General Fund because unrestricted resources are used to pay for the liabilities incurred by this fund and there are no legal mandates to use a debt service fund.

The following programs comprise the Council's General Fund:

Other Local

Revenues, such as, (1) donations from the general public, (2) income from various fundraisers, (3) program service revenue from renting Medic Alert units, and (4) interest income earned on idle funds which have been invested, have been recorded in the "other local" program of the General Fund.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Governmental Fund Types (continued)

General Fund (continued)

Other Local (continued)

Expenses incurred, which are not chargeable to specific programs, are recorded as "other local" program expenditures. Also, expenses incurred to produce related program service fees and fundraising income are charged as "other local" program expenditures. "Other local" funds are also used as transfers to special revenue funds to supplement those programs. In addition, fixed asset additions are generally paid with "other local" funds.

Newspaper

The Newspaper Fund is used to account for the revenues and expenditures associated with the newsletter published by the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc.

Office Rental Fund

The Office Rental Fund is used to account for the revenues and expenditures associated with the rental of extra office space owned by the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc. to third parties.

Wellness Card Fund

This fund is used to account for the revenues and expenditures associated with a discount prescription card sale fundraising event.

Medicaid

This is a program where the Council completes enrollment applications for people wanting to apply for Medicaid services. The Council is paid \$14 per application it completes by the Department of Health and Hospitals (DHH). Any funds remaining after applying direct costs to operate this program are available for discretionary use by management.

The Council also acts as a coordinator of services for people who are homebound and in need of services similar to those provided in a nursing home. Rather than have the person sent to a nursing home, the Council coordinates necessary services and is paid a fee by Medicaid for performing the case management function.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE I SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Governmental Fund Types (continued)

General Fund (continued)

PCOA (Act 735)

PCOA (Act 735) funds are appropriated for the Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs by the Louisiana Legislature for remittance to the Council. The Council may use the "Act 735" funds at its discretion, provided the program is benefiting people who are at least 60 years old.

Light Bulb Fund

This fund is used to account for the revenues and expenditures associated with a light bulb sale fundraising event.

Special Revenue Funds

Special Revenue Funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources (other than special assessments and major capital projects) that are legally restricted to expenditures for specified purposes.

The following are the funds, which comprise the Council's Special Revenue Funds:

Title III-B Supportive Services Fund

Title III-B funds are provided by the United States Department of Health and Human Services through the Louisiana Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs, which "passes through" the funds to the Council. This program is used to account for funds which are to provide a variety of social services; such as, information and assistance, access services, in-home services, community services, legal assistance, and outreach for people age 60 and older.

Title III C-1 Congregate Meals Fund

Title III C-1 funds are provided by the United States Department of Health and Human Services through the Louisiana Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs, which "passes through" the funds to the Council. This fund is used to account for funds, which are used to provide nutritional, congregate meals to the elderly in strategically, located centers. During the fiscal year July 1, 1999 to June 30, 2000, the Council served about 17,228 congregate meals.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Governmental Fund Types (continued)

Special Revenue Funds (continued)

Title III C-2 Home-Delivered Meals Fund

Title III C-2 funds are provided by the United States Department of Health and Human Services through the Louisiana Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs, which "passes through" the funds to the Council. This fund is used to account for funds, which are used to provide nutritional, home-delivered meals to homebound older persons. During the fiscal year July 1, 1999 to June 30, 2000, the Council served about 130,116 homedelivered meals.

Title III-D Fund

The Title III-D Fund is used to account for funds, which are used to provide in-home services to frail older individuals, including in-home supportive services for older individuals who are victims of Alzheimer's disease and related disorders with neurological and organic brain dysfunction, and to the families of such victims. Title III-D funds are provided by the United States Department of Health and Human Services through the Louisiana Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs, which in turn "passes through" the funds to the Council.

Title III-F Fund

The Title III-F Fund is used to account for funds used for disease prevention and health promotion activities or services, such as; (1) equipment and materials (scales to weigh people, educational materials, and exercise equipment), (2) home injury control, (3) medication management, (4) mental health, and (5) nutrition (assessment/screening, counseling, and education). The law directs the state agency administering this program to "give priority to areas of the state which are medically underserved and in which there are a large number of older individuals who have the greatest economic and social need." Title III-F funds are provided by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services through the Louisiana Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs, which in turn "passes-through" the funds to the Council.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Governmental Fund Types (continued)

Special Revenue Funds (continued)

Senior Center Fund

The Senior Center Fund is used to account for the administration of Senior Center program funds appropriated by the Louisiana Legislature to the Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs, which in turn "passes through" the funds to the Council.

This program provides community service centers at which older persons receive supportive services and participate in activities which foster their independence, enhance their dignity, and encourage their involvement in and with the community. The Council operates four senior centers in Lafayette Parish, Louisiana.

Title III B - Ombudsman Fund

The Ombudsman Fund is used to account for funds used to provide people age 60 and older residing in long-term care facilities a representative to ensure that such residents' rights are upheld, to resolve complaints by residents with the management of the long-term care facility, and to promote quality care at the facility. Ombudsman funds are provided by the United States Department of Health and Human Services through the Louisiana Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs, which in turn "passes through" the funds to the Council.

Supplemental Senior Center Fund

The Supplemental Senior Center Fund is used to account for funds provided by the Louisiana Legislature to the Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs, which "passes through" the funds to the Council. The funds are used to supplement the other programs operated by the Council.

Senior Community Service Employment Fund (Title V)

The Senior Community Service Employment Fund is used to account for funds, which are used to provide, foster, and promote useful part time work opportunities in community service activities for low-income persons who are 55 years old and older. These funds are provided by the Department of Labor through the National Council of Senior Citizens, which in turn "passes through" the funds to the Council.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Governmental Fund Types (continued)

Special Revenue Funds (continued)

Foster Grandparents Fund

The Foster Grandparents Fund is used to account for federal funds which are provided directly by the Corporation for National Service and state funds which are provided directly by the Louisiana Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs to pay for expenses incurred by low-income, senior citizens, age 60 and over, who have volunteered their time to assist in providing companionship and guidance for physically and mentally handicapped children and children who have been abused and neglected in the juvenile justice system, or have other special needs.

Broussard House

This fund reports the activity of a facility operated by the Council for the Senior Center and other community activities.

United Givers Fund

This fund reports assistance received from the community's regular United Appeals activity. The funds are received upon application to the United Givers Agency and are subject to reporting to, and monitoring by, that Agency.

Elderly Housing Management Fund

The Elderly Housing Management Fund represents management fees and expenditures relating to the management of Beau Sejour Estates (a retirement community) along with management fees and expenditures of Woodvale Place Apartments (Section 8 HUD housing).

Family Caring Network Case Management Fund

This fund is used to account for revenues received from Life Plans, Inc. and is to be used for the purpose of assisting elderly and disabled persons in identifying and locating appropriate service providers capable of addressing their health and other aging and disability related problems.

Information and Assistance Fund

The Information and Assistance Fund is used to account for funds used for the education and assistance of the elderly concerning Medicare. Information and assistance funds are provided by the Louisiana Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Governmental Fund Types (continued)

Special Revenue Funds (continued)

FEMA Fund

The FEMA Fund is used to account for the administration of a Disaster Assistance Program whose purpose is to supplement food and shelter assistance to individuals who might currently be receiving assistance, as well as to assist those who are not. Funds are provided by the Federal Emergency Management Agency through the United Way of Acadiana, which in turn "passes through" the funds to the Council.

Community Base Program Fund

This fund is used to account for revenues and expenditures associated with the Council providing homemaker services to the elderly of the parish who are on the waiting list for the services provided by the Council. Revenue is received from the person utilizing the services.

Title XIX Fund

The Title XIX Fund is used to account for funds which are used to provide payments for medical services provided to (1) cash assistance recipients, (2) members of certain mandatory and optional groups who do not receive cash assistance, and (3) other medically needed people who qualify under program guidelines. Title XIX Funds are provided by the United States Department of Health and Human Services as direct reimbursement for costs incurred by the Council.

Senior Olympics Fund

This fund is used to account for the revenues and expenditures associated with the Senior Olympics fundraising event.

Transportation Options Management

This fund is used to account for the revenues and expenditures associated with the Council providing transportation services to the clients of Options Management, L.L.C. and Healthsouth Rehabilitation Hospital of Lafayette to and from their residence and to and from Options Management, L.L.C. and Healthsouth Rehabilitation Hospital of Lafayette.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Proprietary Fund Type

Proprietary funds are accounted for on the economic resources measurement focus and use the accrual basis of accounting. Under this method, revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded at the time liabilities are incurred. The government applies all applicable FASB pronouncements in accounting and reporting for its proprietary operations. Proprietary funds include the following fund type:

Enterprise Fund

These funds are used to account for those operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to a private business or where the Board has decided that the determination of revenues earned, costs incurred and/or net income is necessary for management accountability. The Council operates Woodvale Place Apartments as an enterprise fund.

Account Groups

An account group is a financial reporting device designed to provide accountability for certain assets and liabilities that are not recorded in the funds because they do not directly affect net expendable available financial resources. The following two account groups are not "funds."

General Fixed Assets

The fixed assets (capital outlays) used in governmental fund type operations of the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc. are accounted for (capitalized) in the General Fixed Assets Account Group and are recorded as expenditures in the governmental fund types when purchased.

General Long-Term Debt

Long-term liabilities expected to be financed from governmental funds are accounted for in the General Long-Term Debt Account Group. The General Long-Term Debt Account Group shows only the measurement of financial position and is not involved with measurement of results of operations. Principal and interest payments on long-term liabilities (bank loans and capital lease obligations) are accounted for in the General Fund because the Council intends to use unrestricted resources to pay them and no legal mandate exists to establish a debt service fund.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Basis of Accounting

The accounting and financial reporting treatment applied to a fund is determined by its measurement focus. The governmental funds, including the General and Special Revenue Funds, are accounted for using a current financial resources measurement focus. With this measurement focus, only current assets and current liabilities are generally included on the balance sheet. Operating statements of these funds present increases (revenues and other financing sources) and decreases (expenditures and other financing uses) in net current assets.

Governmental funds are maintained on the modified accrual basis of accounting wherein revenues are recognized in the accounting period in which they become susceptible to accrual (i.e., "measurable and available"). "Measurable" means the amount of the transactions can be determined and "available" means collectible within the current period, or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. The Council considers all revenues "available" if they are collected within 60 days after year-end. Expenditures are recognized in the accounting period in which the liability is incurred, if measurable, except for principal and interest on long-term debt which are recorded when due.

Transfers and Interfund Loans

Advances between funds, which are not expected to be repaid, are accounted for as transfers. In those cases where repayment is expected, the advances are classified as due from other funds or due to other funds on the balance sheet. Short-term interfund loans are classified as interfund receivables and payables.

Budget Policy

The Council follows these procedures in establishing the budgetary data reflected in these financial statements.

The Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs "GOEA" notifies the Council each year as to the funding levels for each program's grant award.

The Council may also obtain grants from agencies other than GOEA and the Council considers the potential revenues to be earned under those grants.

Projections are made of revenues from other sources based on past trends and data available to form expectations of future revenues.

The Executive Director prepares a proposed budget based on the expected funding levels and then submits the budget to the Board of Directors for approval.

The Board of Directors reviews and adopts the budget before May 31 of the current year for the next year.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Budget Policy (continued)

The adopted budget is forwarded to the Cajun Area Agency on Aging, Inc. for final approval.

All budgetary appropriations lapse at the end of each fiscal year (June 30). Occasionally, the Council will receive a special project grant, which may operate on a period different from the Council's normal fiscal year, and therefore, have a specified date where the budgetary appropriations will lapse.

The budget is prepared on the modified accrual basis, consistent with the basis of accounting, for comparability of budgeted and actual revenues and expenditures.

Budgeted amounts included in the accompanying financial statements include the original adopted budget amounts and all subsequent amendments.

Actual amounts are compared to budgeted amounts periodically during the fiscal year as a management control device.

The Council may transfer funds between line items as often as required but must obtain prior approval from the Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs for funds received under grants from this state agency. As a part of this grant award, GOEA requires the Council to amend its budget in cases where actual costs for a particular cost category exceeded the budgeted amount by more than ten percent. Otherwise, the excess costs could be labeled as unauthorized expenditures.

Expenditures cannot legally exceed appropriations at the individual fund level.

The Council is not required by state or local law to prepare a budget for every program or activity it conducts. Accordingly, some activities are not budgeted, particularly if they are deemed to be immaterial by management.

Total Columns on Combined Statements - Overview

Total columns on the combined statements - overview are captioned "Memorandum Only" to indicate that they are presented only to help with financial analysis. Data in these columns do not present financial position, results of operations, or changes in financial position in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. Neither is such data comparable to a consolidation. Interfund eliminations have not been made in the aggregation of this data.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Fixed Assets

Assets which cost at least \$250 and which have an estimated useful life of greater than one year are capitalized as fixed assets. All fixed assets are stated at historical cost or estimated historical cost, if actual historical cost is not available. Donated fixed assets are stated at their estimated fair market value on the date donated. No depreciation has been provided on general fixed assets.

Compensated Absences

The Council's policy allows full time employees to carry forward 30 days of unused sick leave and 10 days of annual leave beyond the fiscal year end. Full-time employees earn 7.5 hours of sick leave and between 7.5 and 12.5 hours depending on years of employment of annual leave per month. An employee may be paid for 10 days of unused annual leave and any compensatory time accumulated upon separation. The liability for accumulated annual leave has been recorded in the General Long-Term Debt Account Group.

Related-Party Transactions

There were no related-party transactions noted during the fiscal year.

Restricted Assets

Restricted assets represent tenant deposits associated with the Woodvale Place Apartments.

Reservations and Designations of Fund Balances

The Council "reserves" portions of its fund balance that are not available for expenditure because resources have already been expended (but not consumed), or a legal restriction has been placed on certain assets which make them only available to meet future obligations. Designated allocations of fund balances result when the Council's management intends to expend certain resources in a designated manner.

Prepaid Expenditures

The Council has elected not to expense amounts paid for future services until those services are consumed to comply with the cost reimbursement terms of its grant agreements. The fund balances in the governmental fund types have been reserved for any prepaid expenditures recorded in these funds to reflect the amount of fund balance not currently available for expenditure.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results may differ from those estimates.

Cash Equivalents

The Council considers all short-term highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to cash and matures within three months of the date it is acquired to be cash equivalents.

NOTE 2 REVENUE RECOGNITION - INTERGOVERNMENTAL, PROGRAM SERVICE FEES, PUBLIC SUPPORT, MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES, AND RENTS.

Intergovernmental

Intergovernmental revenues are recorded in governmental funds as revenues in the accounting period when they become susceptible to accrual, that is, measurable and available (modified accrual basis). Intergovernmental grants do not allow the Council to recognize revenue under the grant award until actual costs are incurred or units of service are provided.

Program Service Fees

Program service fees are recognized when the Council provides the service that entitles the Council to charge the recipient for the services received. The Council encourages and receives contributions from clients to help offset the costs of the Title III-B, C-1, C-2, and D programs.

Public Support and Miscellaneous Revenues

Utility assistance funds are provided from public donations via utility company programs. In addition, various fundraisers are held during the year to obtain funds to offset costs of general operations and senior activities. The timing and amounts of the receipts of public support and miscellaneous revenues are difficult to predict; therefore, they are not susceptible to accrual and are recorded as revenue in the period received.

Rents

Rents associated with Woodvale Place Apartments are charged to tenants on the first of each month. Significant amounts not collected are included in accounts receivable.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 3 CASH AND INTERESTING-BEARING DEPOSITS

The Council maintains a consolidated bank account to deposit the money it collects and to pay its bills. The consolidated bank account is available for use by all funds other than those required to maintain separate accounts. The purpose of the consolidated account is to reduce administration costs and facilitate cash management. The consolidated account also allows those funds with available cash balances to cover any negative cash balances in other funds at year-end.

Under state law, the Council may deposit funds within a fiscal agent bank organized under the laws of the State of Louisiana, the laws of any other state in the Union, or the laws of the United States. The Council may invest in certificates and time deposits of state banks organized under Louisiana law and national banks having principal offices in Louisiana. At June 30, 2000, the Council has cash and interest-bearing deposits (book balances) totaling \$363,081.

These deposits are stated at cost, which approximates market. Under state law, these deposits (or the resulting bank balances) must be secured by federal deposit insurance or the pledge of securities owned by the fiscal agent bank. The market value of the pledged securities plus the federal deposit insurance must at all times equal the amount on deposit with the fiscal agent bank. These securities are held in the name of the pledging fiscal agent bank in a holding or custodial bank that is mutually acceptable to both parties. Deposit balances (bank balances) at June 30, 2000 at Bank One, are secured as follows:

Bank balances	<u>\$167,829</u>
Federal deposit insurance Pledged securities (Category 3)	\$100,000 _360,837
Total	<u>\$460,887</u>

Deposit balances (bank balances) at June 30, 2000, at IberiaBank, are secured as follows:

Bank balances Federal deposit insurance	\$267,139 100,000
Unsecured deposits at June 30, 2000	<u>\$167.139</u>

Pledged securities in Category 3 include uninsured or unregistered investments for which the securities are held by the broker or dealer, or by its trust department or agent, but not in the Council's name. Even though the pledged securities are considered un-collateralized (Category 3) Louisiana Revised Statute 39:1229 imposes a statutory requirement on the custodial bank to advertise and sell the pledged securities within 10 days of being notified by the Council that the fiscal agent has failed to pay deposited funds upon demand.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 4 CHANGES IN GENERAL FIXED ASSETS

	Balance			Balance
	July 1,			June 30,
	1999	Additions	<u>Deletions</u>	2000
Buildings	\$516,055	\$ -	\$ -	\$516,055
Land	60,000	_	_	60,000
Leasehold improvements	28,911	-	_	28,911
Furniture and fixtures	122,713	10,548	12,101	121,160
Vehicles	163,116	<u>3,686</u>	<u> 18,807</u>	147,995
Total general fixed assets	\$890,795	<u>\$ 14,234</u>	<u>\$ 30,908</u>	<u>\$874,121</u>

NOTE 5 FIXED ASSETS

Fixed assets in the proprietary fund consist of the following:

Land	\$ 650,000
Building	3,200,000
Furniture and fixtures	<u>54,716</u>
	3,904,716
Less: accumulated depreciation	(131,908)
Total fixed assets	<u>\$3,772,808</u>

NOTE 6 IN-KIND DONATIONS

The Council received various in-kind contributions during the year, which have been valued at their estimated fair market value and presented in this report as revenue. Related expenditures, equal to the in-kind revenues, have also been presented, thereby producing no effect on net income.

NOTE 7 BOARD OF DIRECTORS' COMPENSATION

The Board of Directors is a voluntary board; therefore, no compensation has been paid to any member. However, board members are reimbursed for out-of-town travel expenses incurred in accordance with the Council's regular personnel policy.

NOTE 8 INCOME TAX STATUS

The Council, a non-profit corporation, is exempt from federal income taxes under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and as an organization that is not a private foundation as defined in Section 509(a) of the Code. It is also exempt from Louisiana income tax.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 9 CHANGES IN LONG-TERM DEBT

Long-term liabilities that will be financed from governmental funds are accounted for in the general long-term debt group of accounts. The following is a summary of changes in the general long-term debt account group.

	Balance			Balance
	July 1,	<u>Prir</u>	ncipal	June 30,
	1999	<u>Additions</u>	Deletions	2000 _
Note payable	\$ 15,134	\$ -	\$ 5,752	\$ 9,382
Accrued annual leave	15,703	3,286		18,989
Total	\$ 30,837	\$ 3,286	<u>\$ 5,752</u>	<u>\$ 28.371</u>

In 1991, the Council purchased the building that they are currently occupying. They signed a fifteen-year loan with Lafayette Building Association on February 6, 1991, bearing interest at a variable rate, currently 7.5%, with monthly payments of \$634.

Accrued annual leave is expected to be paid during the fiscal year-end June 30, 2001.

The annual requirements to amortize all debt outstanding at June 30, 2000, including interest payments of \$342, are as follows:

Year Ending June 30,

2001	\$ 26,596
2002 and thereafter	<u>2,117</u>
	<u>\$ 28,713</u>

NOTE 10 JUDGMENTS, CLAIMS, AND SIMILAR CONTINGENCIES

There is no litigation pending against the Council at June 30, 2000. Furthermore, the Council's management believes that any potential lawsuits would be adequately covered by insurance.

NOTE 11 FEDERAL AWARD PROGRAMS

The Council receives revenues from various Federal and State grant programs, which are subject to final review and approval as to allowability of expenditures by the respective grantor agencies. These programs are audited in accordance with the <u>Single Audit Act Amendments of 1996</u>. Any settlements or expenses arising out of a final review are recognized in the period in which agreed upon by the agency and the Council. Also, it is management's opinion that any audits by the grantor agencies would not produce disallowed program costs and liabilities to such an extent that they would materially affect the Council's financial position.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 12 ECONOMIC DEPENDENCY

The Council receives the majority of its revenue from funds provided through grants administered by the Louisiana Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs, Cajun Area Agency on Aging, Inc., the National Senior Citizens Education and Research Center and the Corporation for National Service. The grant amounts are appropriated each year by the federal and state governments. If significant budget cuts are made at the federal and/or state level, the amount of the funds the Council receives could be reduced significantly and have an adverse impact on its operations. Management is not aware of any actions that will adversely affect the amount of funds the Council will receive in the next fiscal year.

NOTE 13 RISK MANAGEMENT

The Council is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; thefts of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The Council has purchased commercial insurance to cover or reduce the risk of loss that might arise should one of these incidents occur. No settlements were made during the year that exceeded the Council's insurance coverage.

NOTE 14 INTERFUND LOANS

	Interfund	
	Receivables	<u>Payables</u>
General Fund	\$ 50,544	\$ 59,432
Community Base Program	1,212	-
Foster Grandparent Program		4,070
Family Caring Network	13,467	-
Transportation Options Management	182	1,077
Broussard House	13,453	-
Senior Olympics	10,595	_
Title XIX	-	16,298
Senior Center	-	247
Title III-B	-	247
Title III-F	-	2,260
Information and Assistance	_	14,958
Woodvale Place Apartments	-	11,387
Elderly Housing Management	20,523	-
	<u>\$109,976</u>	\$109,976

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 15 INTERFUND TRANSFERS

Operating transfers in and out are listed by fund for 2000:

	Funds Transferring Out:							
	Elde	rly	Fan	nily				
	Housing		Caring		United			
	Manage	ement	Netv	<u>vork</u>	(Givers	<u>G</u>	Seneral
Funds Transferring In:								
Foster Grandparents								
Program	\$	-	\$	~	\$	1,137	\$	839
Title III-C-1	2,	341		~		-		2,883
Title III-C-2	24,	220		~		39,155		40,726
Title III-B	33,	328	1	1,610		-		7,188
Ombudsman		299		~		-		-
Title III-D	3,	076		••		-		456
Title XIX		-		~		-		-
Title III-F		2		~		-		-
General Fund		-	3	3,594		6,772		644
Information								
and Assistance	<u>ن منام منام منام ب</u>	<u>-</u>		687		·		
	<u>\$ 63</u> ,	<u> 266</u>	<u>\$</u>	5 <u>.891</u>	<u>\$_</u>	<u>47,064</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>52,736</u>

	Funds Transferring Out:							·		
		Supplemental Transportation								
		Senior Senior			nior	Option				
	PC	<u> AC</u>	<u>Cer</u>	<u>iter</u>	_Cei	nter	Mana	gement		Total_
Funds Transferring In:										
Foster Grandparents										
Program	\$	-	\$	•-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	1,976
Title III-C-1		-		~		-		*		5,224
Title III-C-2		-		~		-		-	1	04,101
Title III-B	32	,921	64	,027	4	4,500		-	1	43,574
Ombudsman		103		~		-		-		402
Title III-D				-		_		_		3,532
Title XIX		4-		-		-	(5,146		6,146
Title III-F				-		-		-		2
General Fund				~		-		-		11,010
Information										
and Assistance	•							-		687
	<u>\$ 33</u>	<u>.024</u>	<u>\$ 64</u>	<u>.027</u>	<u>\$4</u>	<u>4,500</u>	<u>\$</u> (5.146	<u>\$2</u>	<u>76,654</u>

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 16 PROGRAM YEAR-ENDS

All of the operating programs have a June 30 year-end, coinciding with the fiscal year of the Council, except for the Foster Grandparents Program and the FEMA Program, which are not funded through the Area Agency, and have a September 30 year-end. These statements reflect twelve months activity for the above programs for the year ended June 30, 2000.

NOTE 17 RESERVED FUND BALANCE

	Balance	Revenue	Disbursements	Balance
	July 1,	July 1, 1998 -	July 1, 1998 -	June 30,
	1999	June 30, 2000	June 30, 2000	2000
Gulf States Utilities				
(Project Care)	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 3,184</u>	<u>\$ 2,673</u>	<u>\$ 511</u>

The Council receives funding from various utility companies for the restricted purpose of alleviating hardship conditions related to the payment of utility bills for elderly individuals. Funds available at year-end for this purpose have been reserved accordingly.

The Council has other assets, which are restricted in their application by virtue of the donor's intention or commitments already entered into by the Council. These amounts are also reported as reserved fund balance. These include escrow-type deposits required by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) in connection with elderly housing projects undertaken and sponsored by the Council. Other restricted assets arise because of gifts solicited and collected for a specific purpose by the Council. Other assets, like the utility assistance above, are restricted by the terms and nature of the grant. Finally, some assets represent "deposits" pledged to confirm the Council's intentions with respect to certain projects. Related accumulated income is included in some of the restricted balances. Details on the reserved balances are set out below:

Lafayette Elderly Housing Project	\$ 12,880	(HUD Escrow)
Scott Elderly Housing Project	11,974	(HUD Escrow)
Miles for Meals	11,300	
Town of Scott	5,600	
Parish Council	2,001	
Deposit on FTA van	13,545	
Prepaid expenditures	935	
Total Reserved Fund Balance	<u>\$ 58,235</u>	

NOTE 18 DESIGNATED FUND BALANCE

The Board of Directors has designated funds for future building repairs in the amount of \$5,158.

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 19 UNRELATED BUSINESS INCOME

The Council operates an activity, which was determined for the year ended June 30, 2000, to be an activity "unrelated to the Council's tax exempt purpose" as that term is used in IRS regulations. The income of that activity (Broussard House, a Special Revenue Fund) is, therefore, considered to be "unrelated business income" and is subject to federal taxes. The expenses as reported in these financial statements comply with the accounting prescribed by the Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs. The Form 990T required by the IRS requires different accounting treatment, specifically with respect to "capital outlay expenditures" which for tax reporting must be capitalized and depreciated rather than totally expensed.

The expenses of the Broussard House as reported in these financial statements and in the Form 990T may be reconciled as follows:

Expenses per 990T	\$13,399
Less: Depreciation expense	(326)
Expenses per financial statements	\$13.073

NOTE 20 DEFICIT FUND BALANCES

The Newspaper Fund, Light Bulb Fund, and Title XIX Fund have deficit fund balances of \$9,254, \$1,671, and \$16,298, respectively, at June 30, 2000.

These deficit balances will be eliminated in future years by reducing expenditures and by transfers from other funds.

NOTE 21 EXCESS EXPENDITURES OVER APPROPRIATIONS

At year-end, the Council has several funds whose expenditures exceeded appropriations. The individual funds and the amount of the excess expenditures are:

Foster Grandparents	<u>\$ 20,868</u>
Elderly Housing Management	<u>\$ 883</u>
Title III C-1	<u>\$ 180</u>
Title III C-2	<u>\$ 3,915</u>
Title III D	<u>\$</u> 4
Title III F	<u>\$2</u>
Ombudsman	<u>\$1</u>
Senior Olympics	<u>\$ 3.182</u>
Information and Assistance	<u>\$ 688</u>
Title V - Senior Aides	<u>\$ 76,361</u>

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 22 CONTRIBUTED CAPITAL

The Louisiana Housing Finance Agency contributed an apartment complex with a fair market value of \$3,850,000 to the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc. on March 25, 1999. The complex is to be managed and operated in accordance with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) provisions requiring certain units in the complex to be maintained as housing for low-and moderate-income persons or families. For financial reporting purposes, the operations of the complex shall be accounted for as a proprietary fund. In addition to the above, contributed capital also consists of a cash donation of \$51,000, also from the Louisiana Housing Finance Agency.

Details on the contributed capital are set out below:

Contributed apartment complex

Cash contribution

Total contributed capital

\$3,850,000 <u>51,000</u> \$3,901,000 SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

SCHEDULES OF INDIVIDUAL FUNDS

Combining Statement Of Program Revenues, Expenditures, And Changes In Fund Balance - General Fund Year Ended June 30, 2000

	Local	Newspaper	Office Rental	
Revenues:				
Intergovernmental	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
Local and miscellaneous -				
PMS Revenue	7,126	-	-	
Parish council	14,014	-	-	
Office rental	•	-	18,434	
Newspaper	_	77,714	-	
Wellness card	-	-	-	
Light Bulb	•	-	-	
Interest income	522	-	-	
Project Care	3,183	-	-	
Foundation on Aging, Inc.	14,000	-	-	
City of Scott	5,600	-	-	
Miles for meals	16,660	-	-	
Donations	25,000	-	-	
Fundraising	3,437	-	-	
Miscellaneous	2,552		<u>-</u>	
Total revenues	92,094	77,714	18,434	
Expenditures:				
Current -				
Salaries	•	32,913	-	
Fringe	_	4,554	-	
Travel	168	827		
Operating services	1,597	49,292	4,755	
Operating supplies	257	803	-	
Other costs	41,444	220	-	
Capital outlay	3,594	-	-	
Debt service -				
Principal	-	-	6,236	
Interest			1,370	
Total expenditures	47,060	<u>88,609</u>	12,361	
Excess (deficiency) of revenues				
over expenditures	45,034	(10,895)	<u>6,073</u>	
Other financing sources (uses):				
Operating transfers in	10,366	•	-	
Operating transfers out	(52,736)	<u>-</u> _		
Total other financing sources (uses):	(42,370)		<u> </u>	
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over				
expenditures and other uses	2,664	(10,895)	6,073	
Fund balance, beginning of year	52,798	1,641	(3,791)	
Fund balance, end of year	<u>\$ 55.462</u>	\$ (9.254)	\$ 2.282	

Light Bulb	Wellness Card	Medicaid of Louisiana	PCOA Act 735	Total
\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 33,024	\$ 33,024
-	-	-	-	7,126
-	-	-	-	14,014
-	-	-		18,434
-	-	-	-	77,714
-	2,082	-	-	2,082
3,366	-	-	-	3,366
-	-	-	-	522
-	-		-	3,183
-	-	-	-	14,000
-	-	-	-	5,600
-	-	-	-	16,660
-	_	-	-	25,000
•	-	-	•	3,437
				2,552
3,366	2,082		33,024	226,714
-	 -	-	- -	32,913 4,554
-	_	_	_	995
3,836	544	_	_	60,024
1,174	_	_	_	2,234
27	-	_	_	41,691
-	-	_	-	3,594
-	-	_	-	6,236
	-			1,370
5,037	<u>544</u>			153,611
(1,671)	1,538		33,024	73,103
-	_	644	-	11,010
	-		(33,024)	(85,760)
		644	(33,024)	(74,750)
(1,671)	1,538	644	-	(1,647)
	3,186	(644)		53,190
\$ (1.671)	<u>\$ 4.724</u>	\$	<u>\$</u> -	\$ 51.543

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Combining Statement Of Revenues, Expenditures, And Changes In Fund Balances All Special Revenue Funds Year Ended June 30, 2000

	Title III-B	Title III-C-1	Title III-C-2	Title III-D	Title III-F	Senior Center
Revenues:	W. ————————————————————————————————————					
Intergovernmental	\$ 121,494	\$ 38,191	\$ 53,165	\$ 3,789	\$ 6,026	\$ 82,059
Program	20,332	12,746	41,480	-	-	-
Local and miscellaneous	-	-	159	-	-	2,857
In-kind		# #		<u>-</u>		
Total revenues	141,826	50,937	94,804	3,789	6,026	<u>84,916</u>
Expenditures:						
Current -						
Salaries	201,487	41,160	133,023	1,486	-	11,520
Fringe	18,711	4,760	13,799	210	-	1,314
Travel	4,849	1,196	21,164	5,090	-	205
Operating services	42,176	5,417	22,119	371	-	7,532
Operating supplies	11,735	2,534	5,047	7 3	171	318
Other costs	6,442	1,094	3,753	91	400	-
Capital outlay	-	-	•	-	5,457	-
In-kind					_	
Total expenditures	285,400	<u>56,161</u>	<u>198,905</u>	<u>7,321</u>	6,028	20,889
Excess (deficiency) of revenues						
over expenditures	(143,574)	(5,224)	(104,101)	(3,532)	(2)	64,027
Other financing sources (uses):					•	
Operating transfers in	143,574	5,224	104,101	3,532	2	-
Operating transfers out						(64,027)
Total other financing sources (uses)	143,574	5,224	104,101	3,532	2	(64,027)
Excess (deficiency) of revenues and						
other sources over expenditures						
and other uses	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fund balances (deficit), beginning of year						
Fund balances (deficit), end of year	\$	<u>\$</u>	<u>s</u> -	<u>\$</u>	\$	<u>\$</u>

Ombudsman		Supplemental Senior Center		Senior			Γitle V - Senior AIDES	Gra	Foster andparents		oussard Iouse		United Givers	ŀ	Elderly lousing nagement	C	amily Caring etwork	F	ЕМА
\$	16,419	\$	4,500	\$	583,455	\$	298,666	\$	-	\$	47,064	\$	•	\$	-	\$	3,801		
	- -		- -		42,704 91,754		20,035 43,251		8,785 -		- -		102,178		5,324		- -		
	16,419		4,500		717,913	<u> </u>	361,952		8,785		47,064		102,178		5,324		3,801		
	12,653		_		540,933		38,437		1,146		_		8,154		_		_		
	1,236		-		55,756		5,521		94		-		1,380		•		-		
	1,674		-		3,622		16,547		70		-		329		-		-		
	884		-		12,332		5,346		11,763		-		74		-		-		
	165		-		1,637		1,483		-		-		75		•		-		
	209		-		204		227,690		-		•		-		2,389		3,009		
	-		-		-		399		-		-		•		-		_		
	<u> </u>		<u>-</u>	3 -3 mm - 1	91,754		43,251						-						
	16,821				<u>706,238</u>		<u>338,674</u>		13,073	~			10,012	<u>-</u>	2,389		<u>3,009</u>		
-	(402)		4,500		11,675		23,278		(4,288)		<u>47,064</u>	<u>=</u>	<u>92,166</u>	 -+	2,935		<u>792</u>		
	402		-		•		1,976		_		-		•		-		-		
	<u>-</u>		(4,500)						-	-	(47,064)		(63,266)		<u>(5,891)</u>	****			
	402		(4,500)		-	-	1,976	=	<u></u>		(47,064)		(63,266)		<u>(5,891)</u>	•			
	-		-		11,675		25,254		(4,288)		-		28,900		(2,956)		792		
	-		-	******	12,893		27,628	*	15,602		-		2,585		17,092		(792)		
<u>\$</u>	<u> </u>	<u>s</u>		<u>\$</u> .	24.568	\$	52.882	\$	11.314	\$_	-	\$	31.485	\$	14.136	\$	<u>-</u>		

(Continued)

Combining Statement Of Revenues, Expenditures, And Changes In Fund Balances All Special Revenue Funds (Continued) Year Ended June 30, 2000 Transpo

		Community Base	Information and	Senior	Transportation Options	
	Title XIX	Program	Assistance	Olympics	Management	Total
Revenues:	•	•	e 14060	d	6	¢ 1072 con
Intergovernmental	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 14,958	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,273,587
Program		-	-		22.000	74,558
Local and miscellaneous	4,300	533	-	17,153	77,772	281,800
In-kind	_			<u> </u>		<u>135,005</u>
Total revenues	4,300	533	14,958	<u>17,154</u>	<u>77,772</u>	1,764,950
Expenditures:						
Current -						
Salaries	-	344	11,459	1,054	35,643	1,038,499
Fringe	-	28	935	87	3,721	107,552
Travel	-	-	•	425	-	55,171
Operating services	-	16	2,332	1,449	19,456	131,267
Operating supplies	-	-	919	9,261	10,962	44,380
Other costs	-	-	-	839	-	246,420
Capital outlay	-	-	-	1,098	•	6,954
In-kind	_	به المساود الم				135,005
Total expenditures		<u> 388</u>	<u>15,645</u>	14,213	<u>69,782</u>	1,765,248
Excess (deficiency) of revenues						
over expenditures	4,300	145	(687)	2,941	<u>7,990</u>	2
Other financing sources (uses):	•					
Operating transfers in	6,146	-	687	-	-	265,644
Operating transfers out	<u></u>	*			(6,146)	(190,894)
Total other financing sources (uses)	<u>6,146</u>	#-	687		<u>(6,146)</u>	74,750
Excess (deficiency) of revenues and other sources over expenditures						
and other uses	10,446	145	-	2,940	1,844	74,752
Fund balances (deficit), beginning of year	(26,744)	1,112	- 	<u>7,655</u>	6,145	63,176
Fund balances (deficit), end of year	\$ (16.298)	\$ 1.257	\$	\$ 10.595	<u>\$ 7.989</u>	<u>\$ 137.928</u>

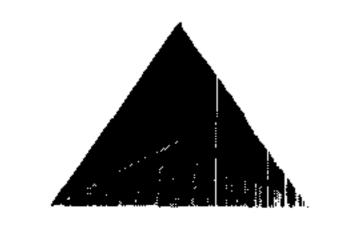
Statement Of Expenditures And Other Financing Uses Budget And Actual - Contracts And Grants Provided Through The Louisiana Governor's Office Of Elderly Affairs (GOEA) Year Ended June 30, 2000

	Dudastad	A otro 1	Variance Favorable
PCOA-Act 735	Budgeted	Actual	(Unfavorable)
Transfers out to:			
Title III-B	\$ 32,921	\$ 32,921	\$ -
Ombudsman	103	103	_ _
	<u>\$ 33,024</u>	\$ 33.024	<u>\$</u>
Title III-B			
Salaries	\$202,701	\$201,487	\$ 1,214
Fringe	21,963	18,711	3,252
Travel	5,067	4,849	218
Operating services	41,068	42,176	(1,108)
Operating supplies	10,802	11,735	(933)
Other costs	<u>5,562</u>	<u>6,442</u>	(880)
	<u>\$287,163</u>	<u>\$285,400</u>	<u>\$ 1.763</u>
<u>Title III-C-1</u>			
Salaries	\$ 41,758	\$ 41,160	\$ 598
Fringe	4,524	4,760	(236)
Travel	1,082	1,196	(114)
Operating services	5,983	5,417	566
Operating supplies	1,915	2,534	(619)
Other costs	719	1,094	<u>(375)</u>
	<u>\$ 55,981</u>	<u>\$ 56,161</u>	<u>\$(180</u>)
Title III-C-2			
Salaries	\$133,287	\$133,023	\$ 264
Fringe	14,440	13,799	641
Travel	18,138	21,164	(3,026)
Operating services	21,958	22,119	(161)
Operating supplies	4,748	5,047	(299)
Other costs	2,419	3,753	<u>(1,334)</u>
	<u>\$194,990</u>	<u>\$198,905</u>	<u>\$ (3.915</u>)
Title III-D			
Salaries	\$ 1,471	\$ 1,486	\$ (15)
Fringe	159	210	(51)
Travel	5,026	5,090	(64)
Operating services	499	371	128
Operating supplies	71	73	(2)
Other costs	91	91	<u> </u>
	<u>\$_7,317</u>	<u>\$ 7,321</u>	<u>v (4</u>)

Statement Of Expenditures And Other Financing Uses Budget And Actual - Contracts And Grants Provided Through The Louisiana Governor's Office Of Elderly Affairs (GOEA) (Continued) Year Ended June 30, 2000

			Variance
	Dudgatad	A otual	Favorable
Title III-F	Budgeted	<u>Actual</u>	(Unfavorable)
Operating supplies	\$ -	\$ 171	\$ (171)
Other costs	400	400	-
Capital outlay	5,626	5,457	169
	\$ 6,026	\$ 6,028	<u>\$(2)</u>
Senior Center			
Salaries	\$ 11,951	\$ 11,520	\$ 431
Fringe	1,272	1,314	(42)
Travel	150	205	(55)
Operating services	7,753	7,532	221
Operating supplies	200	318	(118)
Transfer out to:	64.027	64.027	
Title III-B	<u>64,027</u> \$ 85,353	64,027 \$ 84,916	\$ <u>437</u>
	<u>a 00,000</u>	<u>\$ 04,710</u>	<u>s 437</u>
<u>Ombudsman</u>			
Salaries	\$ 11,497	\$ 12,653	\$ (1,156)
Fringe	1,245	1,236	9
Travel	2,560	1,674	886
Operating services	1,147	884	263
Operating supplies	164	165	(1)
Other costs	209	209	
	<u>\$_16,822</u>	<u>\$ 16,821</u>	<u>\$1</u>
Supplemental Senior Center			
Transfer out to:			
Title III-B	<u>\$ 4,500</u>	<u>\$ 4,500</u>	<u>\$</u>
Information and Assistance			
Salaries	\$ 10,500	\$ 11,459	\$ (959)
Fringe	730	935	(205)
Travel	500	-	500
Operating services	2,927	2,332	595
Operating supplies	300	919	(619)
Other costs	\$ 14,957	\$ 15 645	\$ (688)
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INTERNAL CONTROL, COMPLIANCE AND OTHER GRANT INFORMATION



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Independent Auditor's Report On Compliance And On Internal Control Over Financial Reporting Based On An Audit of General-Purpose Financial Statements Performed In Accordance With Government Auditing Standards

The Board of Directors Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc. Lafayette, Louisiana

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We have audited the general-purpose financial statements of the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc., as of and for the year ended June 30, 2000, and have issued our report thereon dated August 31, 2000. We have conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133, "Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations."

Compliance

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc.'s general-purpose financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of general-purpose financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed one instance of noncompliance that is required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards, and is described in the accompanying Schedule Of Findings And Questioned Costs as Item 00-2.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the general-purpose financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control over financial reporting. However, we noted a certain matter involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider to be a reportable condition. We also noted other matters involving the internal control over financial reporting that we American Institute of have reported to management of the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc. in a separate letter dated Society of Public Accountants September 15, 2000.

Member of:

Reportable conditions include matters coming to our attention relating to significant deficiencies in the design or operation of the internal control over financial reporting that, in our judgment, could adversely affect the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc.'s ability to record, process, summarize, and report financial data consistent with the assertions of management in the general-purpose financial statements. The reportable condition is described in the accompanying Schedule Of Findings And Questioned Costs as Item 00-1.

A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements in amounts that would be material in relation to the general-purpose financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. Our consideration of the internal control structure over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control structure that might be reportable conditions and, accordingly, would not necessarily disclose all reportable conditions that are also considered to be material weaknesses as defined above. However, we believe the reportable condition described above as 00-1 is a material weakness.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Directors, Management, others within the Organization and federal awarding agencies and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than those specified parties.

Davnall, Sikes & Frederick

A Corporation of Certified Public Accountants

Lafayette, Louisiana September 15, 2000



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Independent Auditor's Report On Compliance With Requirements Applicable To Each Major Program And Internal Control Over Compliance In Accordance With OMB Circular A-133

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Compliance

We have audited the compliance of Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc. with the types of compliance requirements described in the <u>U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement</u> that are applicable to its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2000. The Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc.'s major federal program is identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to its major federal program is the responsibility of the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc.'s management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc.'s compliance based on our audit.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133, "Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations." Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc.'s compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures, as we consider necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our audit does not provide a legal determination on the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc.'s compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc. complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that are applicable to its major federal program for the year ended June 30, 2000.

American Institute of Certified Public Accountants

Society of Louisiana Certified Public Accountants

Internal Control Over Compliance

The management of the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc. is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to federal programs.

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc.'s internal control over compliance with requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133.

Our consideration of the internal control over compliance would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that noncompliance with applicable requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants that would be material in relation to a major federal program being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over compliance and its operations that we consider to be material weaknesses.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Directors, Management, others within the Organization and federal awarding agencies and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than those specified parties.

Davnall, Sikes & Frederick

A Corporation of Certified Public Accountants

Lafayette, Louisiana September 15, 2000

Schedule Of Expenditures Of Federal Awards Year Ended June 30, 2000

Program Title	Federal CFDA Number	Exp	enditures		ounts to cipients
Department of Health & Human Services					
Passed through the Louisiana					
Governor's Office of					
Elderly Affairs:					
Title III-B Supportive services	93.044	\$	80,186	\$	· -
Title III-C-1 Congregate meals	93.045		32,462		-
Title III-C-2 Home-delivered meals	93.045		13,823		-
Title III-D-In-home services	93.046		3,221		-
Title VII - Chapter 2 - Ombudsman	93.042		14,120		-
Title III-F Preventive Health Services	93.043		5,122		-
Information and Assistance			14,957		=
			163,891		_ _
Corporation for National Service Foster Grandparents Program	72.001		276,291		-
Department of Labor Passed-through the National Senior Citizens Education and Research Center: Title V- Senior AIDES	17.235		590,553		-
Federal Emergency Management Agency Passed-through United Way of Acadiana: Emergency Food and Shelter Program	83.516		<u>2,552</u>		
Department of Housing and Urban Development Section 8 - Housing Assistance Payments Program - Special Allocations	<u>t</u> 14.195		<u>141,550</u>		-
		<u>\$</u>	1,174,837	<u>\$</u>	<u>-</u>

NOTE 1 BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The above schedule of expenditures of federal awards includes the federal grant activity of the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc. and is presented on the same basis of accounting as described in Note 1 to the financial statements. The information in this schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of OMB Circular A-133, "Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations."

OTHER SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Schedule Of Changes In General Fixed Assets Year Ended June 30, 2000

	Balance June 30,			Balance June 30,
	1999	Additions	Deletions	2000
General fixed assets, at cost:				
Buildings	\$ 516,055	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 516,055
Land	60,000	-	-	60,000
Leasehold improvements	28,911	•	-	28,911
Furniture and fixtures	122,713	10,548	12,101	121,160
Vehicles	163,116	3,686	18,807	147,995
Total general fixed assets	\$ 890,795	\$ 14,234	\$ 30,908	\$ 874,121
Investments in general fixed assets:				
Title III-B	\$ 1,972	\$ -	\$ 1,662	\$ 310
Title III-C-1	2,045	-	332	1,713
Title III-C-2	1,733	_	332	1,401
Senior Center	13,951	~	2,723	11,228
Local	740,596	7,280	24,659	723,217
Title III-G	1,215	~	-	1,215
Title III-F	19,398	5,457	-	24,855
Foster Grandparents Program	3,804	399	-	4,203
Title XIX	4,554	•	1,200	3,354
Elderly Housing Management	47,373	*	-	47,373
Capital Assistance	54,154	~	-	54,154
Senior Olympics		1,098		1,098
Total investment in general				
fixed assets	\$ 890,795	<u>\$ 14,234</u>	\$ 30,908	<u>\$ 874,121</u>

Schedule Of Disbursements To Board Members Year Ended June 30, 2000

The Board of Directors is a voluntary board; therefore, no compensation has been paid to any member.

Summary Schedule Of Prior Year Findings Year Ended June 30, 2000

No prior year findings were noted, therefore, no response is deemed necessary.

Schedule Of Findings And Questioned Costs Year Ended June 30, 2000

Part 1 Summary of Auditor's Results

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Auditor's Report

An unqualified opinion has been issued on the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc.'s financial statements as of and for the year ended June 30, 2000.

Reportable Conditions - Financial Reporting

There was one material reportable condition in internal control over financial reporting disclosed during the audit of the financial statements and is shown as Item 00-1 in Part 2.

Material Noncompliance - Financial Reporting

There was one material instance of noncompliance noted during the audit and is reported as Item 00-2 in Part 2.

FEDERAL AWARDS

Major Programs' Identification

The Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc. at June 30, 2000, had one major program: Title V - Senior AIDES, which received funds from the Department of Labor "passed-through" the National Senior Citizens Education and Research Center.

Low-Risk Auditee

The Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc. is considered a low-risk auditee for the year ended June 30, 2000.

Major Programs - Threshold

The dollar threshold to distinguish Type A and Type B programs is \$300,000 for the year ended June 30, 2000.

Auditor's Report - Major Programs

An unqualified opinion has been issued on the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc.'s compliance for its major program as of and for the year ended June 30, 2000.

LAFAYETTE COUNCIL ON AGING, INC. Schedule Of Findings And Questioned Costs Year Ended June 30, 2000 (Continued)

Part 1 Reportable Conditions - Major Programs

There were no reportable conditions noted during the audit of the major federal program.

Compliance Finding Related to Major Programs

The audit did not disclose any material noncompliance or questioned costs relative to its federal program.

Part 2 Findings Relating to an Audit in Accordance with Government Auditing Standards

00-1 Concentration of Credit Risk

Finding:

The Council has funds on deposit with a financial institution in excess of the federally insured limit and the financial institution has not pledged adequate securities to properly secure the deposits.

Recommendation:

The Council should require the financial institution to pledge securities from its investment portfolio in an amount sufficient to secure deposits in excess of the federal deposit insurance limit.

00-2 Violation of LA R.S. 39:1225

Finding:

The Council did not have the financial institution pledge securities from its investment portfolio to secure funds on deposit in excess of federal deposit insurance limits.

Recommendation:

The Council should require the financial institution to pledge securities in an amount sufficient to secure Council funds on deposit.

Part 3 Findings and Questioned Costs Relating to the Federal Programs

The audit did not disclose any material noncompliance or questioned costs relative to its federal program.

Management's Corrective Action Plan For Current Year Endings Year Ended June 30, 2000

Response to Finding 00-1:

The Council is in the process of formulating an agreement with IberiaBank, whereby securities will be pledged on the Council's behalf when considered necessary.

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Response to Finding 00-2:

See response to finding 001- above.



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To the Board Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc. Lafayette, Louisiana

We have completed our audit of the general purpose financial statements of the Lafayette Council on Aging, Inc., as of and for the year ended June 30, 2000, and submit the following suggestions for your information and consideration in improving the efficiency and effectiveness of the operations of the Council.

ML-1 Finding

Upon beginning the initial auditing procedures on the Title V - Senior Aides Program it was noted that a few of the general ledger balances did not reconcile to the supporting documentation. Upon investigation of these differences, it was determined that the supporting schedules and documents were adjusted to reflect the correct balances, however, the general ledger was not adjusted accordingly. Therefore, the audit began using unadjusted balances.

Recommendation

The general ledger should be adjusted to the reconciled balances on a monthly basis. This will assure that management has the correct information in order to make informed decisions.

Management's Plan of Corrective Action

Management will begin adjusting the general ledger to the reconciled balances on a monthly basis.

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ML-2 Finding

Woodvale Place Apartments requires each tenant to submit a security deposit upon taking residency. The money is deposited into a separate, non-interest Bearing checking account. Therefore, the amount due the tenants should be equal to the amount in the checking account. However, the cash balance is \$26,328.26 and the amount due the tenants per the deposit payable schedule is \$20,549. The balance in the deposit payable account per the general ledger is \$20,811.11.

Recommendation

A schedule of deposit payable, by unit, must be maintained current at all times. The amount in the cash account for deposits should be reconciled to the liability. Any differences should be investigated and reconciled promptly.

Management's Plan of Corrective Action

A schedule of deposit payable, by unit, will be maintained current. The amount in the cash account for deposits will be reconciled to the liability on a regular basis and any differences will be investigated and reconciled promptly.

ML-3 Finding

During the course of the audit of the financial statements of Woodvale, it was noted that several significant coding errors were made in the general ledger.

Recommendation

Care should be taken to assure that financial information is complete, accurate, and timely. Information should be reviewed by appropriate personnel.

Management's Plan of Corrective Action

Financial information will be reviewed by appropriate personnel to insure it is complete, accurate and timely.

ML-4 <u>Finding</u>

It appears that the financial statements of Woodvale are being maintained by two sources, the outside accountants and the in-house accountants. Per conversation with the outside accountant, at the end of the year, the revenue and expense accounts were adjusted to coincide with the in-house accountants revenues and expenses, without support for the adjustments.

Recommendation

In order to maintain an audit trail for all transactions, adjustments should be made only with adequate supporting documentation.

Management's Plan of Corrective Action

Adequate supporting documentation will be maintained to support all adjustments.

We would like to express our appreciation to you and your office staff for the courtesies and assistance rendered to us during the performance of our examination. Should you have any questions or need assistance, please feel free to contact us.

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